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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants	Michael J Strobel, et al.
Application No. 09/745,960	Filing Date: December 22, 2000
Title of Application:	A Screw For Medical Purposes And A Driving Tool
Confirmation No. 8504	Art Unit: 3743
Examiner	Dinnatia D. Greene

MAIL STOP AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
Post Office Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Response Transmittal and
Petition For Time Extension (37 CFR 1.136(A))

Dear Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of the time for a total period of two months to respond to the Office Letter mailed on May 16, 2006.
2. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.
3. Calculation of extension fee (37 CFR 1.17). \$450.00 Extension Fee is due with this request.

Certificate of Mailing: I hereby certify that this correspondence is today being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents; Post Office Box 1450; Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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4. Fee Payment. Attached is Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 in the sum of \$1,240.00 for a Two-month Extension of Time (\$450.00) combined with a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) (\$790.00),

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees by this paper and during the entire pendency of this Application to Account No. 19-4516.

Respectfully submitted,

June 5, 2006



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